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DAILY WEATHER REPORT  
Rain today, clearing tonight. Sunday fair and continued cool.

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## MAKE 2ND ARREST IN SWINDLE CASE OF AN ELDERLY WOMAN

James Allen Levey Taken  
Into Custody by Detective  
Anthony Russo

WOMAN LOSES \$31,000

Two Men Now Being Held In  
Doylestown Jail in Con-  
nection With Case

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 5—James Allen Levey, 45, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrested in Philadelphia yesterday, is the second man to be lodged in Bucks County Prison, in connection with the case in which Mrs. Anna Smith, 72, of Quakertown, is said to have been swindled of approximately \$31,000.

Levey was arrested yesterday by Bucks County Detective Anthony Russo, as Levey left the Federal Court building in Philadelphia.

The charges lodged against Levey are: unlawfully disposing of securities; and unlawfully inviting inquiries about securities as a dealer.

Level is believed by authorities to be the "follow-up" man in the case in which Mrs. Smith is said to have been fleeced of a large amount of money. The first arrest in the case was that of Joseph Livingston, who is also in the county prison, here. Livingston was taken in custody following loss of funds by the aged woman. It is claimed that in the "follow-up," the woman paid out additional money in an attempt to retrieve the several thousand dollars said to have been "lost" in the first instance.

Livingston was arrested on March 27th by Chief of Police Harry B. Welsh of Quakertown, and representatives of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board. The case, it is said, involved sale of alleged "fake" warehouse certificates for liquor stocks.

Levey was committed to the county prison yesterday on a bench warrant where he is being held for court.

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## Boy, 11, Returns Home Sleepy and Hungry

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 5—When John David Helsel, 11-year-old cub Scout, got peeved at his school teacher the other day at the rural Neville school near Chalfont, before the afternoon recess, he walked out, leaving the whole class and the teacher.

Yesterday, his father found the boy walking back home, hungry, sleepy and cold. He had been sitting in a tree all night in New Britain Township, about five miles from home. His father is Dr. Chester A. Helsel, who is a chiropractor with offices in Amble and Souderton.

Pennsylvania Motor Police and Boy Scouts searched all night in the Chalfont section for the missing youth and it was not until shortly before noon yesterday that his father found him headed for home. He had not eaten in 24 hours and remained out over night without a hat or coat.

John told police that he was sorry because he was punished by his school teacher who made him stay in after school every night for a week, while one of his pals who misbehaved the same way, was not punished.

## Miss Harriet Stover Called To Active Duty

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 5—Miss Harriet Stover, of 364 East Court street, daughter of Mrs. Emma P. Stover, who recently volunteered in the American Red Cross nursing service, has been called to active duty with the United States Army at Fort Eustis, near Langley Field, Virginia. She will leave Doylestown Monday. Her brother, Private William T. Stover, enlisted last October for a three-year hitch in the Army and is now stationed at a radio school at Scott Field, Illinois.

Miss Stover is a graduate of the Protestant Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, but for the past four years has been employed with the Department of Public Assistance, Doylestown. She is the first Doylestown woman to enter the Red Cross nursing service for active duty.

## Hulmeville Miss is Wed To Resident of Trenton

HULMEVILLE, Apr. 5—Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. T. Oscar Harrison of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Laura Mae Harrison, to Mr. James M. Salt, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Salt, Trenton, N. J.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. David Allen, at his home in Trenton, N. J., on Tuesday evening, with Miss Ann Harrison, Hulmeville, sister of the bride; and Mr. Thomas Ramsin, Trenton, as attendants. A small reception followed at the Harrison home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Salt will make their home in Newtown.

## TO LEAVE HOSPITAL

Miss Emily Bracken will return to her home, 1215 Pond street, today, from the Woman's Medical College Hospital.

## Arbor Day Program Is Given By Eighth Grade

A program was presented in Bristol high school auditorium yesterday morning by members of the eighth grade. The theme of the programme was "Arbor Day" and the following numbers were presented:

"Normal," selection by the band; song, "Loch Lomond," school; reading, "Arbor Day," Mae Foraker; piano solo, "La Gondola," Mary Elizabeth Finegan; poem, "An Apple Orchard in the Spring," Vera Kwocha; tap dance, Alice Moffo and Pearl Bell; "Merry Trees," Theresa Cahill; vocal solo, "Life," school; reading, "Consider the Trees," Mary Richel; poem, "Trees," Mabel McDonald; reading, "A Historic Tree," Margaret Wren; chorus of eighth grade girls, "Welcome, Sweet Springtime" (Rubinstein); "Dutch Lullaby" (Wilson); "In the Little Red Schoolhouse" (Wilson and Brennan); "Sailing," school; "Mutual," selection by the band.

The band for eighth grade assemblies is made up of the following boys: Robert Orrino, William Hendrickson, Richard Monus, Edmund Sampson, Clarence Prickett, Allan Barr and Angelo Ferri.

## HEALTH AND QUARANTINE LAWS GIVEN DISCUSSION

Doylestown and Some County  
Officials Meet With County  
Medical Director

WANT COUNTY OFFICER

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 5—With Dr. H. W. Hassell, Bridgeport, medical director of Bucks and Montgomery counties, present, the physicians and school authorities of Doylestown, physicians from nearby communities, and county school authorities, discussed Pennsylvania's health and quarantine laws.

Some laws, which are considered out-moded and very antiquated, were gone over thoroughly.

When the conference concluded those in attendance were of the opinion that Doylestown is carrying out the health laws as well as any district in the State and that if some physicians quarantine and some don't for certain things, it's entirely a matter of either medical knowledge or being fair with the patient and public.

One thing will probably result, and that is a more careful and conscientious diagnosis and reporting of cases of communicable diseases on the part of all physicians. The local school will now issue a state blank to all students sent home with a suspicious symptom of disease and demand that they be seen by a physician.

Health Officer A. R. Atkinson, Doylestown, was highly praised by physicians, schoolmen and nurses at the meeting.

"I'm simply here to help and co-operate with you gentlemen," declared Dr. Hassell, who called the meeting because some outside physician had complained that Doylestown doctors were not quarantining cases of the same type disease that he has been quarantining for in a nearby community.

It was the general consensus of opinion that no other physician could tell what kind of disease some other doctor's patient might have, and that it was, more or less, none of his business.

The meeting was held in the Bucks County administration building annex and presided over by Dr. Hassell. All local physicians were present. So was County Superintendent of schools Charles H. Boehm; supervising principal J. Leonard Halderman, Doylestown schools; Mrs. Thelma B. W. Brudenell, Doylestown school nurse; health officer A. R. Atkinson, Doylestown, and A. Russell Thomas, secretary of the local board of health.

Physicians expressed their opinions of Pennsylvania's public health set-up, and termed the quarantine laws "far behind the times."

The fact that Bucks county does not have its own medical director was deplored, and also the fact that central Bucks county's health interests are in charge of a resident of South Philadelphia.

The physicians are expected to get busy at their next county meeting and take the necessary steps to see to it that Bucks county has its own health officer in the near future.

## Arrest Woman Who Escaped From Byberry

DOYLESTOWN, April 5—State Troopers arrested Helen Bardsley at Danboro, Bucks county, today, after she escaped from the Philadelphia State Hospital at Byberry. It was the third escape for the woman, who was committed after sending a threatening letter to President Roosevelt.

## Bible Class Members Have Quarterly Session

NEWPORTVILLE, Apr. 5—Members of the Women's Bible class of Newportville Community Church—Presbyterian, taught by Mrs. James Barclay, met Thursday evening in the primary room for their quarterly meeting.

The president, Mrs. Fred Wimmersberger, presided; and Mrs. J. Lowrie favored with a solo. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

## LATEST NEWS . . .

Received from International  
News Service Over Special  
Teletype News Wire.

## British Occupy Adowa

Cairo, Apr. 5—Occupation of the Ethiopian city of Adowa by British troops was announced by authorities in Cairo today.

The northern Ethiopian city was taken, they said, by forces which have been advancing eastward from the Anglo-Egyptian frontier.

Meanwhile, on the Libyan front, British forces withdrew north of Bengazi, seeking a location to make a stand against the combined Italo-German forces advancing in that area.

Bengazi itself, military spokesmen in Cairo pointed out today, had been so badly scarred by British bombs and shells before the Italians were driven out that it will not be of great military value to the advancing Axis forces.

## A British Fleet Leaves Gibraltar

Algiers, Apr. 5—A British battle fleet headed by the 37,400-ton battle cruiser Renown and accompanied by four heavily-loaded troop transports has left Gibraltar, it was revealed today.

## 530,000 Out On Strike

The ranks of idle American workers in strike-bound defense industries was swelled to about 530,000 today as every Ford Motor Company plant in the nation was closed because of the strike in the parent Dearborn factory.

In many sections of the U. S., representatives of management and labor continued conference, in some cases aided by Federal conciliators, seeking agreement on disputes causing disruption of vital national defense production.

## German Ships Are Straddled By Bombs

London, Apr. 5—The German 26,000-ton battle cruiser Scharnhorst and Gneisenau were straddled by sticks of bombs dropped by RAF planes which attacked the French coast port of Brest during the night, the British Air Ministry announced today.

The two German war vessels have been decked at Brest ever since they returned from a commerce-raiding expedition in the North Atlantic. While the British planes attacked Brest, Nazi raiders for the second successive night pounded the western British port of Bristol.

## Italians Establish Defenses North of Tirana

Belgrade, Apr. 5—Italian forces in Albania have established a defense line north of Tirana, the Albanian capital, as a precaution against possible war with Yugoslavia, it was reported today.

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## PASTORS HERE REQUEST BUSINESS PLACES TO CLOSE

Address Open Letter To The  
Businessmen for Observance  
Of Good Friday

A 3-HOUR OBSERVANCE

Residents and business men of Bristol are being urged by the pastors of a group of Bristol churches to participate in the commemoration of Good Friday, and to this end an open letter addressed to the business men of Bristol, was given out for publication today by the pastors of five of the Bristol churches.

Good Friday, the anniversary of the Crucifixion and Death of Christ, will be observed this year on April 11th.

Realizing the great need for a return to the principles of brotherhood, understanding, love and mercy among mankind, for which Christ died, pastors of a group of churches here, are extending every effort to make the commemoration this year a unified prayer for a return of peace to the world.

The open letter follows:

"To the Business Men of Bristol:

"Gentlemen:

"Co-operating with the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, we the undersigned clergy of Bristol request that the hours our Saviour hung in agony on the cross be observed by the closing of all business houses from 12 o'clock noon to 3 p. m. on April 11, (Good Friday) 1941.

"Signed,

(REV.) HOWARD L. ZEPPE,

Minister, First Baptist Church

(REV.) GEO. E. BOSWELL,

Minister, St. James Episcopal Church

(REV.) W. E. PRESTON HAAS,

Minister, Bristol Methodist Church

(REV.) JAMES R. GAILEY,

Minister, Bristol Presbyterian Church

(REV.) FRANCIS PANETTA,

Minister, Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour."

## Here and There in Bucks County Towns

### CROYDON

Mrs. John Coyne is recuperating after ten weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bartholoma had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hanley and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bartholoma, Philadelphia.

On Wednesday evening the Daughters of Pocahontas entertained visitors from Philadelphia. A supper was prepared by Mrs. Charles Kunz and served to 35.

Monday night will mark the regular meeting of Auxiliary of Croydon Fire Company. After the meeting a covered dish luncheon will be served.

Mrs. Joseph Farrell, Burlington, N. J., was a visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Grew, on Thursday.

### HULMEVILLE

Lewis Brunner, a student at the Pennsylvania Military College, Chester, is passing Easter vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis K. Brunner.

George Douglass has been ill at his Bellevue avenue home.

### NEWPORTVILLE

Thomas and Samuel, children of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crawford, Fergusonville, are ill with scarlet fever.

### TULLYTOWN

The meeting and supper of the Tullytown Home and School League will be held in the social room of the Methodist Church, Monday evening at 6.30, instead of in the school.

A meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Elmira Gillingham.

Mrs. James Harris and son Terry, Morrisville, were Tuesday visitors of Mrs. Elsie Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Appleton, Penn Valley, announced the birth of a son, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan and son Kenneth, Florence, N. J., were recent visitors of Mrs. Catherine Slager.

On Wednesday afternoon, a meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Emille Church, was held at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Gaskill.

Frank Bregal, Langhorne, was a Thursday caller of Mr. and Mrs. Etris Wright.

Mrs. Reingarber, Morrisville, spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Ervin Baker.

Mrs. Mathias Tischer has been spending a few days at the home of relatives in Baltimore, Md.

## Legion Auxiliary Plans An Americanism Meeting

Announcement was made by Mrs. Harold H. Dettmer, Americanism chairman, at the meeting of American Legion Auxiliary, last evening in the Bracken Post home, of an Americanism meeting to be held in Bensalem high school on May 29th.

Following suggestion of the superintendent of Bensalem schools, the school awards from the Legion and Auxiliary will be presented at that time, rather than at the commencement exercises.

Mrs. Arthur Zug was the presiding officer, with various committee heads making reports.

The next meeting of Montgomery-Bucks Bi-County Council of Auxiliaries will take place at Fort Washington on April 17th; and in May in the Bristol Methodist Church.

The hostess, Mrs. Fred Bryner, served cream puffs and coffee, candy and salted nuts. Mrs. Elizabeth Delker, whose birthday anniversary is observed this month, was presented with a cake.

## PLAN FIVE SESSIONS FOR CONFERENCE HERE

W. C. T. U. Regional Convention To Present Outstanding Speakers

APRIL 15TH AND 16TH

Five sessions have been outlined for the Southeastern Regional Convention of the Pennsylvania Woman's Christian Temperance Union, when members from 11 counties convene in Bristol Methodist Church on the 15th and 16th of April.

With the opening session at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, the 15th, there will also be programs at 2.30 and seven on that day; and sessions also on Wednesday, April 16th, at 9.30 and 1.30 p. m.

Serving as hostesses on this occasion will be Mrs. Harry H. Headley, president of Bristol W. C. T. U.; and Mrs. Elsie Nixon, Newtown, president of the county union.

Officers are Mrs. Thomas W. Lisher, Palmyra, N. J., vice president, Mrs. Gertrude Baldwin, of West Chester, secretary, Mrs. Ellen Mae Long, of Bethlehem, treasurer, Mrs. Minnie Scott, of Philadelphia.

A splendid program has been prepared and many prominent speakers will take part. State officers will attend as well as many county presidents and state directors. William Hubben of George School, will speak on Christian Education, the Rev. Daniel J. Brink of New Brunswick, N. J., will deliver the evening address on "Moral Re-armament."

Charles H. Boehm, superintendent of Bucks County schools, will give an address on "Alcohol Education." There will be panel discussions and special music.

## BABY GIRL IS BORN

A daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Castor, Lafayette street, on Thursday, has been named Judith Ann. Mrs. Castor, the former Miss Rose Carango, and baby, are in the Wagner hospital.

Classified Ads deliver the goods.

## Newtown High Teacher Hurt in Strange Manner

NEWTOWN, Apr. 5—A member of the faculty of Newtown high school, Henry L. Myers, 42, is a patient in St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J., where he was taken following injuries sustained in a mysterious manner.

Myers was cared for by police of Hamilton Township, N. J., on Wednesday night, after the officers received a call from a passing motorist that an injured man was standing on the Crosswicks Creek bridge, near White Horse.

Myers was found bleeding from cuts of the face. His shoes were missing, and his shirt was torn.

Officers stated that Myers refused to disclose what had happened, and insisted that the case be dropped. Friends of the man, however, reported that they had learned that Myers, after driving his nephew to Fort Dix, N. J., Wednesday night, gave a lift to a hitchhiker, whom it was claimed later attacked him, and took his car.

## BENSALEM SETS COMMENCEMENT DATE

Graduation Exercises To Be  
Held at Cornwells Heights  
On June 9th

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Apr. 5—

This year Bensalem Township High School Seniors will have their commencement exercises on June 9th. This date was set by the School Board when it met in regular monthly session here Thursday evening.

The Board also set the last day of school as June 10th. The Baccalaureate sermon, to be held in a church in the Township, will be given on June 8th.

Routine business and regular committee reports consumed most of the meeting time here Thursday evening. Joseph Sharpe, president, was in charge of the meeting.

The treasurer's report, presented by Charles Meisinger, indicated that

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## Mill Street Business Men To Attend Meeting

Members of Mill Street Business Men's Association will on Wednesday evening attend the dinner meeting of Bucks County Real Estate Board at the Fountain House, Doylestown, which session is especially planned for any individual interested in the "Defense Housing Act," just signed by President Roosevelt.

At that time William P. Carson, manager, financial relations, Philadelphia office of the Federal Housing Administration, will show a sound film entitled "Design for Happiness." This picture depicts the steps required to secure a home through F.H.A. financing. Many young couples, anxious to start a home, are interested in the necessary steps to secure a home through this plan.

Mr. Carson will also tell of various F.H.A. matters.

Members of Mill Street Business Men's Association, and the Bucks County Real Estate Board are also interested in the new defense housing act, through which private capital is used for erecting houses for rental purposes only. When defense industries are operating, this is given particular emphasis, due to demand for houses; and individuals having money to invest may do so.

The speaker of the evening will answer questions. The real estate board emphasizes the fact that this is an open meeting, the only requirement being the dinner fee.

## Orchestra Very Busily Rehearsing for Operetta

The Bristol high school orchestra has been active for the past few weeks practicing for the operetta, "A Waltz Dream," which is to be presented on April 24th and 25th at the Grand Theatre. The orchestra also consists of a few talented residents of Bristol, who have volunteered to play. The first full rehearsal will be held Wednesday night with the chorus groups.

The members of the orchestra will consist of: Piano and accompanist for all rehearsals, Dorothy Eelman; clarinets, Charles Kallenbach and Edward Newman; trumpets, Richard Fish, Theodore Krushynsky and Harry Chapin; trombone, Albert Moss; flute, Albert Wiberly; bass, J. J. Jolin, Robert Townsend; saxophone, Joseph DiLisso; violins, LeRoy Booth, James Wiberly and Gabrielle Vergulti; drums, Vito Marseglia and Emidio Caucci.

## ANNOUNCE SPEAKERS

The Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association announce that Dr. Robert E. Speer, well-known church leader of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A.; Dr. Raymond Kistler, president of Beaver College, Jenkintown; and Mrs. Grace Sloan Overton, writer, lecturer and leader in Parent Education and Home Life, will be the evening speakers at the 79th Annual State Sabbath School Convention in Harrisburg, October 8, 9, 10.

## NAME JURORS TO TRY CIVIL COURT CASES ON APRIL 21

List of Those Who Will Serve  
On Traverse Jury Is  
Given

SOME FROM BRISTOL

All Sections of Bucks County  
Represented On The  
List

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 5 — Those residents of Bucks County who will serve on the traverse jury, when civil court opens on April 21st, are as follows:

Helen M. Barner, Croydon; William Barwis, Tullytown; Frederick Bechtel, East Greenville, R. D. 1; George P. Bloomer, Southampton; Harold E. Brown, Upper Black Eddy; Alfred A. Burns, Newtown; Harris O. Bruner, Bristol; George A. Boyer, Quakertown, R. D. 2; Edward Charles, Perkasie, R. D. 1; C. Orville Courtney, Doylestown; Marie Cole, Perkasie, R. D. 1; George R. Colville, Croydon; Forrest C. Crooks, Solebury; Sara L. Cryer, Morrisville; Ira Cullen, Sellersville; Charles S. Curry, Bristol, R. D. 2; John G. Charles, Erwinna; Alfred D. Darrah, Sr., Andalusia; John L. Dugan, Bristol; Charles Evans, 2nd, New Hope; Elmer H. Ely, Cornwells Heights; Wilson P. Engelman, Quakertown, R. D. 1; Joseph Ervin, Almont; Carman Fleckenstein, Newportville; J. Leavitt Fine, Bristol; George W. Fairhurst, Sellersville; Stephen Freeh, Revere; Lloyd Frederick, Sr., Sellersville.

Daniel Garber, Lumberville; David Paul Griffin, Langhorne; Hildegard J. Hopkins, Hulmeville; Fred J. Heilburg, Chalfont; Joseph C. Harvey, Yardley; J. Harry Himman, Bristol; Edgar Haldeman, Chalfont, R. D. 1; Henry L. Hough, Tinticum; Ira Heavener, Richlandtown; Lily May Hartley, Trevoise; Alice Hemmter, Bristol, R. D. 1; John G. Haney, Bristol; E. Gladys Hayman, Doylestown; Charles Janney, New Hope; Mary B. Kilcoyne, Bristol; Ira A. Kip, Wrightstown; Edwin King, Jamison; M. Mirked Kirgus, New Britain; Clara M. Koch, Shelly; George

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## Study Proposed Seaplane Base Off Burlington

BURLINGTON, N. J., Apr. 5—A study is being made of the proposal that the city of Burlington contribute \$500 as its share toward construction of New Jersey's first Civil Aeronautics Authority seaplane base on the Delaware River, off Tatham street.

The committee named to study the project includes Henry Haines, Thomas G. Gillee and A. Walter Zimmerman, members of city council.

William Vandegrift made the proposal before council, declaring the \$500 needed from the city would purchase materials for the base. He said the National Youth Administration would provide the labor.

Vandegrift, a pilot himself, who has offered a riverfront plot for the base, emphasized that seaplane flying is extremely safe and said students seem to learn this phase of flying more readily.

A Civil Pilot's Training Program could be started later at the base, he said, after preliminary arrangements were completed. He stressed it would be an important defense measure and would be for youths in the 18-26 age bracket.

"In spite of greatly increased air needs," said Vandegrift, "there are insufficient training facilities in the country."

He declared floats and a runway would have to be built and said it would be called the Burlington Sky Port.

Councilman Robert Fox, finance committee head, reminded Council budget appropriations were made up and that there appeared to be no money to finance the base.

## Pupils Plant Two Trees At Wood Street School

The Wood Street School pupils conducted Arbor Day exercises yesterday. In the assembly the sixth grade staged a play, "Mr. Tree Finds a New Home." The characters were: Mr. Tree, Dominick DiLisso; Rain, James Hetherington; Jack, Timmy Bersani; George, Anthony Torano; Amy, Dorothy Anne Hunter; Annette, Mae Riggs; teacher, Antonette Gilardi; Night Wind, Jasper Bono; Sunlight, Jean Ragnoli; and recitations were given by Mary Anne Chamberlain, Eleanor Lake.

Later in the morning pupils of all rooms marched onto the school grounds for the planting and christening of two trees which were named, "The Liberty" and "Peace." Roberta Rose christened the "Peace" and Eleanor Lake christened "The Liberty."

The boys who dug the needed hole for planting were: Arthur DiMidio, Francis Crum, Paul Lanza, Ralph Manera.

Six flags were carried to the exercises, each representing a room from the school.

Dominick DiLisso reported the event for publication.











## ST. FRANCIS MOVES CLOSER TO KEEPING TOURNAMENT CROWN

Eddington Boys Defeat St. Agatha Team by Score of 21 to 3

DEFENSE WAS STRONG

St. Francis Boys Blanked Their Opponents the Entire First Half

PHILADELPHIA, Apr. 5.—The St. Francis Industrial School of Eddington moved closer to retaining its LaSalle Parochial schools tournament crown by overwhelming the St. Agatha team, 21-3, on the LaSalle floor, 21st and Olney avenue.

A defense that could not be penetrated aided the St. Francis boys in annexing the victory. St. Agatha was considered one of the favorites of the tourney but it was unable to break through the Eddington boys' defense. In fact it was late in the third session that the Philadelphia team made its first point.

St. Francis boys blanked their foes, the entire first half and only one field goal was made by the St. Agatha bunch, that being by Gallagher in the final period. The Eddington boys held a 11-0 lead at half-time.

Leaders in the St. Francis triumph were Carman Cupo and Joe Johnson. Cupo racked up a quartet of field goals while Johnson came through with three fielders and a foul. Cupo, brilliant St. Francis forward, has been picked as one of the outstanding players of the tournament.

A tough schedule now faces the St. Francis team as the tourney is expected to be over tomorrow afternoon. The Eddington youngsters meet St. Patrick, winners of the St. Joseph's tournament, today and if victorious may play a double-header, meeting another opponent after a rest period. Should St. Francis win these two contests then it will be in the finals tomorrow afternoon.

St. Francis (21)	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Pts.
Young f	1	0	1	2
Cupo f	4	0	3	8
Johnson c	3	1	3	8
Simpson g	0	0	0	0
Stokes g	1	0	0	2
Enright c	1	0	0	2
	10	1	7	21

St. Agatha (3)	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Pts.
Reavy f	0	0	0	0
McLevitt f	0	0	0	0
Diamond c	0	1	3	1
Gallagher g	0	0	1	2
Murphy g	0	0	0	0
	0	1	4	3

Score at half-time: St. Francis, 11; St. Agatha, 0. Referee: Mahoney, LaSalle. Timer: Smith, LaSalle. Time of periods: 8 min. Scorer: Mahoney, St. Francis.

## Make 2nd Arrest in Swindle Case of An Elderly Woman

Levy was indicted Sept. 12, 1938, for molesting Mrs. Smith, of her life savings in a "whiskey certificate" scheme. Indicted with him was Livingston. Federal Judge Bard in Philadelphia released Levy and three other defendants in bail to await a verdict after trying them on charges of using the mails to defraud in a \$50,000 "whiskey certificate" racket.

## Bensalem Sets Commencement Date

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\$1,000 in taxes had been received for the month of March.

The entire Board visited and inspected the schools in the Township on March 23rd. They found that just a few minor repairs would have to be made before re-opening of schools in September.

Secretary L. L. Williams reported that the recent Gym Exhibition held at the High School showed a net profit of \$412. The Board congratulated Coaches Reimer and Smith for the excellence of the program.

The resignation of Mrs. Verna Kiri, formerly Miss Solt, teacher at the Eddington school, was received by the Board.

Teachers in the system attended the University of Pennsylvania on March 28, where they participated in the Schoolmen's Week program.

Superintendent of Schools, A. Kurtz King, gave the monthly doctor's and nurse's reports. Sicknesses in the district are again down to a normal, the reports indicated. The new superintendent has recently taken up his residence on Cornwells Ave., Cornwells Heights. Mr. King reported that the Women's Temperance Union has provided three films and a projector for the schools in the Township.

The first baseball game of the season is scheduled for Monday afternoon on the home grounds when Bensalem meets Upper Merion. There will be a flag raising on this occasion and the band will parade in their new uniforms.

Schools will be closed on Good Friday and Easter Monday.

The date for the annual school play, "Sun-Up" has been set for April 25th.

## Yardley Home-Town Women Win in Unique Contest

YARDLEY, Apr. 5.—The April business session of Yardley Civic Club was held in the club rooms on Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Robert Barbour presiding. The feature talk was "Women in Education," by Mrs. C. E. Wright, River Mawr. Arthur Bennett, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Cadwallader, favored with a cornet solo, "Smilin' Thru."

Mrs. W. D. Pardoe, treasurer, reported \$5 given to the Kathryn G. Ryan scholarship fund. Mrs. Lura R. Ross, Mrs. Elwell Lake and Mrs. A. S. Danser were named auditors.

Mrs. Hermon Forsythe reported that 16 people had completed the course in

home hygiene and care of the sick.

Mrs. Durrell L. Noyes and Mrs. Lewis S. Duling were accepted as members. One hundred dogwood seedlings were authorized to be purchased and sold by the club.

Mrs. Mary Yardley reported the following nominations for officers for the coming year: President, Miss Helen W. Leedom; vice-presidents, Mrs. Harry K. Ambler, Mrs. Harry Magill; secretary, Mrs. William Rorer; treasurer, Mrs. W. D. Pardoe; directors, Mrs. A. A. Danser, Mrs. Robert M. Barbour, Mrs. D. Taylor Ivins and Mrs. G. K. Hammer.

Mrs. Robert C. Belleville, 3rd, conducted a contest between women born in Yardley and women who had married Yardley boys. The home-town women were represented by Mrs. Mary Yardley, Mrs. William Rorer, Miss Helen W. Leedom and Mrs. G. K. Hammer; while the out-of-town women were Mrs. A. J. Cadwallader, Mrs. Lura R. Ross, Mrs. Robert Barbour and Mrs. Elizabeth L. Knowles. The winning team of home-town girls had a perfect score.

## Name Jurors To Try Civil Court Cases On April 21

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R. Larson, Oakford; John Clifton Lester, Quakertown; Helen P. Le-Worthy, Pipersville; Jonas McCarthy, Pleasant Valley; Elmer K. Moyer, Perkaskie; Oliver R. Miller, Quakertown R. D.; Allen M. Moyer, Perkaskie.

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## Latest News

### Mediation Board Takes Up Strike Question

Washington, D. C., Apr. 5.—Warned by President Roosevelt that something must be done and done soon, a special five-man panel of the national defense mediation board today took up the nation's No. 1 strike—the Allis-Chalmers dispute at Milwaukee—in a hope to get a quick back-to-work agreement from the CIO and company officials.

### Urge Against Convoying of British Ships

Washington, Apr. 5.—The Roosevelt administration has been urged by a small group of powerful congressional supporters of the lease-lend act to advise Great Britain that it will not convoy ships by use of American naval vessels, it was disclosed today.

The proposal to inform Britain of an American stand against convoys, it was explained, was made on the ground that convoying would be an act of war.

### Bulgarian Legation To Leave Belgrade

Budapest, Apr. 5.—The Bulgarian legation in Belgrade received instructions today to leave Belgrade tomorrow, according to reports received in Budapest.

### German-Yugoslav Diplomatic Relations Non-Existent

Berlin, Apr. 5.—Diplomatic relations between Germany and Yugoslavia are virtually non-existent, a spokesman for the Wilhelmstrasse admitted today.

At the same time, authoritative Berlin quarters indicated that any Yugoslavian overtures which might be forthcoming to stave off a German assault would prove "too late."

This phrase "too late" seemed to summarize the entire attitude of Berlin authorities toward Yugoslavia.

Informed quarters indicated nothing short of a radical change in the Belgrade regime—ousting of Premier Simovic's cabinet—and Yugoslavian declaration of an open alliance with Germany would be capable of changing the situation.

They added this also would apply to

Greece in view of the concentration of British troops along the Yugoslav-Greek frontier.

In reply to a Belgrade message saying the Yugoslavian cabinet has dispatched a note to Berlin in an attempt to avert war, German quarters indicated the message would change nothing.

Receipt of the note has not yet been confirmed. But in any case, it will have no effect on the Reich's stand unless there is a radical shift in Yugoslavia's attitude.

Admitting that German-Yugoslav diplomatic relations have come to a virtual standstill, a Wilhelmstrasse spokesman said the Yugoslav minister at Berlin still has not called at the German foreign office.

## COMING EVENING

Apr. 4.—Card party sponsored by Ladies' Auxiliary of Fire Company No. 1 in fire station, Wood and Market streets, 8:30 p. m.

Apr. 10.—Card party in Headley Manor fire station, sponsored by Ladies Auxiliary.

Apr. 14.—Easter Monday dance in St. Mark's hall.

Card party given by P. O. of A. in P. O. S. of A. hall, 8:30 p. m.

Apr. 16.—Card party at the Neill home, 613 Beaver street, benefit of Mothers Guild, St. James' Church, 8:15 p. m.

Apr. 17.—Card party sponsored by P. T. A. in Newportville fire station, 8 p. m.

Apr. 18.—Card party in parish house, Church of the Redeemer, Andalusia, 8:15 p. m.

Card party in Langhorne Memorial House, 8:30 p. m., benefit of senior class, Langhorne-Middletown school.

Apr. 21.—Card party in Bracken Post home, sponsored by American Legion Auxiliary.

Apr. 22.—Card party in Edgely school house, sponsored by P. T. A.

Apr. 23.—Card party in P. O. S. of A. hall, sponsored by Washington Camp, 789 P. O. S. of A., and Camp 89, P. O. of A., 8:30 p. m.

Covered dish luncheon and special demonstration, 12:30 p. m., in parish house, Church of the Redeemer, Andalusia.

Apr. 24, 25.—Operetta "A Waltz Dream" at Grand Theatre, sponsored by Bristol high school.

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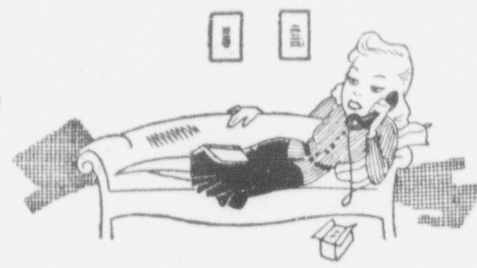
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## MEEHAN IS NAMED COACH AT LA SALLE; LEAVES EDDINGTON

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Boys at Eddington Regret Losing Meehan As Coach

EDDINGTON, Apr. 5.—The boys of St. Francis Industrial School here have lost their athletic coach. It was announced today that Joe Meehan has been appointed new basketball mentor at LaSalle High School in Philadelphia.

During the past seven years that Joe Meehan has been head coach at St. Francis, his teams have been continually in the spotlight of scholastic sports. His bustling nature and irrepresible spirit have constituted the mainspring for the development of good teams.

Proceeding from a practical knowledge of athletics since distinguishing himself in the field of sports and studies while attending LaSalle College, Philadelphia, (1930-1934), Joe's ability to get the best results from the material has been demonstrated time and again.

After leaving La Salle, Joe tutored basketball at St. John's Manayunk, in 1934-1935 and later at West Catholic from 1937 to 1939. His 1938 West Catholic team won the Catholic League championship.

Firmness and friendliness are the potential forces behind his ability as a leader. Since coaching at St. Francis, his teams have won over 90 per cent of their games.

His Eddington "quints" playing in Philadelphia and suburban districts, South Jersey and Washington, D. C., have established an enviable reputation throughout the sports circles.

Charles O'Brien present LaSalle High Basketball coach, track coach and instructor of physical education has been appointed coach of basketball at LaSalle College, due to the resignation of Coach Len Tanseer, formerly U. of P. basketball star and captain.

After scanning the list of coaches and their records to date, Coach Joseph Meehan of St. Francis, Eddington, has been selected for the coaching position left vacant at LaSalle High.

La Salle High is one of the oldest members of the Philadelphia Catholic High School League. It is a private-select school under the direction of the Brothers of the Christian School who maintain West Catholic High

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**MOUNTAIN SHEEP EXTINCT**  
CANON CITY, Col.—(INS)—Mountain sheep, which roamed Colorado in large herds a few decades ago, are virtually wiped out. This was reported by Deputy Game Warden W. W. Ireland, as the state listed mountain sheep as "non-existent." The last survivor of a herd of 60 in Phantom Canyon was found a few days ago.

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